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Title: HEAT-RESISTANT GLASS FIBER AND PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION THEREOF

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☒ **Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.**

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Total effective claims after amendment	0	minus highest number		
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☐ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ Statement filed herewith

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